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        WANTED: MFJ1274 or equiv

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Date: 28 Jun 93 07:31:37 GMT  
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu  
Subject: Message Router delivery notification message  
To: packet-radio@ucsd.edu

RE Message ID: 11024162603991/319952@WEBCS

Attempted delivery to:

Route	: @BT88M7	<--
Route	: @1=GB	
Route	: @2=BT	
Route	: @3=BT	
Route	: @5=BT PLC	
Route	: @4=BIB3IP	
Route	: @8=D	
Userid	: 6=HATCHER	
Arrival date	: 26-JUN-1993 14:20	

This delivery failed. Failure reason was "unable to transfer".  
Diagnostic was "originator not authorized to use Gateway".

Message-id: G2043FA8E26JUN199314065521  
From: NAME: packet-radio <packet-radio@ucsd.edu@R11F@MRGATE@WEBCS>  
Subject: Packet-Radio Digest V93 #184  
To: HATCHER D

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                    Minisport Messages

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Date: Sat, 26 Jun 1993 05:57:40 GMT  
From: mentor.cc.purdue.edu!jbradsha@purdue.edu  
Subject: Minisport Messages  
To: packet-radio@ucsd.edu

I oopsed and managed to kill the issues of the Minisport issues that  
were posted. Can someone either tell me the ftp site or email them  
to me? I'd much appreciate it!

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Jonathan Bradshaw | Email Jonathan.Bradshaw@nd.edu | Prodigy XMSN02B | Ham N90XE  
WNDU-AM/FM/TV South Bend, IN | Disclaimer "My opinions are not my employers"  
"If any girl rejects you, don't you doubt it's part of the .plan"-Deborah Gibson

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Date: Mon, 28 Jun 1993 01:49:35 GMT

From: unix.sri.com!hsdndev!dartvax!Kenneth.E.Harker@hplabs.hpl.hp.com  
Subject: Packet newbie here...  
To: packet-radio@ucsd.edu

I'm a "call-sign pending" tech plus who just passed the exams about three weeks ago. One of the first things I want to do when I get my ticket is get up and running on packet. I'm going to have a 2m handheld on loan for a while, but I need a TNC/multimode controller. I really have no idea what to get.

First, I wonder if I should get just a TNC or a full blown multimode controller? I know I'll be interested in packet, but what I don't know is whether or not I'll be interested in the other digital modes. About how much more could I expect to pay for a multimode than for just a TNC?

Another question is size. Living in fraternity/dorm rooms for the next two years will mean that whatever I get is better small. Eventually, I might even like to do a palmtop packet station, so that also puts a premium on size, and ideally, it should be capable of running on both batteries and AC or DC power. Although I know that most packet activity is still at 1200 baud, should I consider getting a 2400 baud TNC, or even a 9600 baud one?

Another concern is an external antenna. I can put a vertical on the roof of my fraternity house, but I may in the future be living in dormitory rooms as well, so I wouldn't mind advice on either a good outdoor antenna or an indoor antenna that can fit well in a dorm room.

I know that I'm asking a whole lot of questions, but I really would appreciate any advice on these issues. I'm really excited about getting on the air soon.

73,  
\_ken

p.s. one last request: does anyone know of a good mail order company(ies) I can get a free catalog from? The closest ham radio store to here is a 4 hour round trip.

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Date: 28 Jun 93 06:22:23 GMT  
From: swrinde!cs.utexas.edu!wupost!howland.reston.ans.net!xlink.net!fauern!  
rz.unibw-muenchen.de!claudio@network.UCSD.EDU  
Subject: TNC3  
To: packet-radio@ucsd.edu

Hello !

What is the TNC3 ?

Thanks for help

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Claude F.

This message may contain opinions which are not shared by my employer.

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Date: Sun, 27 Jun 93 22:21:57 GMT  
From: mnemosyne.cs.du.edu!nyx!psthomas@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: WANTED: MFJ1274 or equiv  
To: packet-radio@ucsd.edu

Well, I haven't had much response from my other article on this subject, in other groups... Maybe this is the best place for it...

I'm looking for an MFJ1247 or an equivalent TNC. I'd like to be able to use ka9q software with it, and I'd like to have HF and VHF capabilities. A mailbox would be nice, too. This should all be standard equipment on the MFJ, and I'm not an expert on other brands, so please let me know if I should look for some other brand that might allow me additional features. I'm looking to spend 60-80 dollars, depending on condition, and options. New, these go for about \$120, so I think 50% to 66% isn't a bad price for used equipment. I'm somewhat flexible, so let me know. Also, if I've made any errors in judgement (regarding standard features, prices, etc), please correct me!

Thanks in advance!

- Patrick

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